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SUBJ: EDUCATIONAL AND CULTURAL EXCHANGE: NOMINATION

OF DR. GYORGY VAJDA FOR GRANT TO PARTICIPATE

IN MULTI-REGIONAL PROJECT ON ENERGY TECHNOLOGY,

JULY 13 - AUG. 11, 1975

REF: BUDAPEST 1603; STATE 113956

PART I - NOMINATION - JUSTIFICATION

1. NAME: DR. GYORGY VAJDA

2. PURPOSE OF GRANT: TO PARTICIPATE IN MULTI-REGIONAL  
PROJECT ON ENERGY TECHNOLOGY

3. CATEGORY OF GRANT: CODE 211, MULTI-NATIONAL

4. TENTATIVE VISA ELIGIBILITY: CONSULAR SECTION HAS  
NO INFORMATION ON RECORD TO INDICATE INELIGIBILITY  
CU PROGRAM GENERAL OBJECTIVE 1 AND SPECIFIC  
OBJECTIVE 1; CANDIDATE NOMINATED BY HUNGARIAN  
INSTITUTE OF CULTURAL RELATIONS, INTERVIEWED  
AND APPROVED BY PAO.

6. AVAILABILITY DATES: JULY 13 - AUGUST 11, 1975.

PART II - BIOGRAPHIC DATA

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1. PRESENT POSITION: GENERAL MANAGER, ELECTRICAL

POWER RESEARCH INSTITUTE (A GOVERNMENT AGENCY RESPONSIBLE TO THE MINISTRY OF HEAVY INDUSTRY).

2. PAST POSITIONS: DEPARTMENT HEAD, MINISTRY OF HEAVY INDUSTRY; ASST. MANAGER, INSTITUTE OF MEASUREMENTS.

3. PERSONAL DATA:

DATE OF BIRTH: JUNE 18, 1927

PLACE OF BIRTH: BUDAPEST, HUNGARY

CITIZENSHIP: HUNGARIAN

MARITAL STATUS: MARRIED; CHILDREN: TWO

SEX: MALE

EDUCATION: ELECTRICAL ENGINEERING DEGREE, TECHNICAL UNIVERSITY, BUDAPEST, 1949

DOCTORATE IN TECHNICAL SCIENCES, 1964

PUBLICATIONS: APPROXIMATELY 100 ARTICLES, PAPERS AND BOOKS IN ENERGY FIELD.

HONORS: ADVISORY MEMBER OF HUNGARIAN ACADEMY OF SCIENCES; PRESIDENT, ELECTRICAL POWER COMMITTEE, ECONOMIC COMMISSION OF EUROPE.

ADDRESS: 1027 BUDAPEST  
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EMERGENCY ADDRESS: SAME AS ABOVE

LANGUAGES: ENGLISH, FRENCH, GERMAN, RUSSIAN

TRAVEL: PARTICIPATED IN SPECIAL UN GENERAL ASSEMBLY MEETING ON RAW MATERIALS AND ENERGY, APRIL 1974.

#### PART III - SPECIAL INTERESTS

1. DR. VAJDA IS PARTICULARLY INTERESTED IN TOPIC B, PRODUCTION OF ELECTRICAL ENERGY FROM DIFFERENT SOURCES. WOULD LIKE TO PARTICIPATE IN IN-DEPTH VISITS TO GOVERNMENT AND PRIVATE RESEARCH INSTITUTES AND LABORATORIES AS WELL AS VISITS TO COMPANIES SUCH AS GENERAL ELECTRIC AND WESTINGHOUSE TO SEE LATEST EQUIPMENT FOR ELECTRICAL POWER PRODUCTION AND TRANSMISSION. HIS SPECIAL FIELD OF STUDY IS HIGH VOLTAGE TECHNIQUES.

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2. POST WILL SUBMIT DR. VAJDA'S SPECIFIC REQUESTS FOR MEETINGS, ADDITIONAL VISITS BY JUNE 20.  
COMMENT: DR. VAJDA IS SENIOR-LEVEL ADMINISTRATOR WITH OUTSTANDING PROFESSIONAL BACKGROUND AS SCIENTIST IN ELECTRICAL ENERGY FIELD. PERSONABLE, COSMOPOLITAN, WELL-INFORMED ON ENERGY MATTERS OUTSIDE HIS OWN SPECIALTY, HE SHOULD PROVE TO BE IDEAL PARTICIPANT FOR PROGRAM.

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